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TAGS:CDES(ERICKSONS)

SUBJECT: DEATH OF MR. AND MRS. ERICKSONS

REF: YAOUNDE 2252

THE DEPARTMENT IN TOUCH WITH REV. OVERGARD, MR. ROY
ERICKSON, AND MRS. MARJORIE SWANSON RE INFO REQUESTED PARA
4 REFTEL.

REV. OVERGARD REQUESTS THAT MISSIONARIES CONTACT/COMMUNICATE
IN WRITING AND PROVIDE ANY AVAILABLE DETAILS RE MURDER
OF ERICKSONS. HE ALSO REQUESTS POST ADVISE MARILYN HUNTER
THAT HER MOTHER SUFFERED HEART ATTACK ON 9 MAY. CONDITION
NOW STABLE, BUT HEART SEVERELY DAMAGED. ENZYME REACHED 900.

MRS. SWANSON AND MR. ERICKSON REQUEST THAT FOLLOWING BE
PASSED TO REV. ERICKSON. QUOTE: LOVE, PRAYERS, AND SYM-
PATHY. WE ARE HAVING A MEMORIAL SERVICE AT THE CHURCH
ON MAY 24 AT 1900 HOURS LOCAL TIME. SERVICE BEING
ORGANIZED BY MISSION BOARD. PLS LET US KNOW HOW YOU,
MARY AND LEONA ARE DOING. WOULD YOU PREFER THAT UNCLE
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ROY OR I TRAVEL TO YOGOA? PLS ADVISE US OF YOUR PLANS.
END QUOTE. END QUOTE. THEY REQUEST REV ERICKSON PROVIDE
WRITTEN REPORT ON FOLLOWING: 1. WERE PARENTS MURDERED
AT HOME OR NEAR CHURCH? 2. WHO DISCOVERED BODIES? 3.
WERE THERE ANY OTHER PERSONS INJURED OR KILLED? 4. WHEN

DID THE BURIAL TAKE PLACE? 5. WHERE IS THE BURIAL SITE

LOCATED? 6. HOW MANY MISSIONARIES WERE PRESENT AT THE
BURIAL? ANY OTHER INFORMATION OR DETAILS WOULD BE
GREATLY APPRECIATED. VANCE

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